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**UNITED STATES WATER RESOURCES COUNCIL**

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June 19, 1972

Honorable Richard Helms  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Helms:

Executive Order 11296, "Evaluation of Flood Hazard in Locating Federally Owned or Financed Buildings, Roads, and Other Facilities, and in Disposing of Federal Lands and Properties," requires each executive agency to develop procedures and regulations to carry out the Executive Order. The Office of Management and Budget requested the Water Resources Council to prepare guidelines to provide equable treatment of flood hazard problems among Federal agencies in the development of each agency's procedures and regulations.

To provide such equable treatment, enclosed is a copy of "Flood Hazard Evaluation Guidelines for Federal Executive Agencies." Additional copies are available on request.

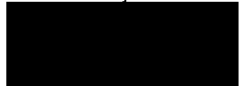

Sincerely yours,

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W. Don Maughan  
Director

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